INTERIM CALENDAR

Friday, September 2, 2005 No. 1

Speaker Allan G. Bense

Speaker pro tempore Leslie Waters

Monday September 12, 2005	Tuesday September 13, 2005	Wednesday September 14, 2005	Thursday September 15, 2005	Friday September 16, 2005
Meeting Notice Due September 2, 2005	Meeting Notice Due September 2, 2005	Meeting Notice Due September 2, 2005	Meeting Notice Due September 2, 2005	Meeting Notice Due September 2, 2005
	9:00 - 12:00 Group B Commerce Council Morris Hall Group B Commerce Committees Business Reg. Reed Hall Econ. Dev., Trade & Banking 306H Insurance Morris Hall Utilities & Tele 212K	8:00 – 10:00 Health & Families Council to meet jointly with its Committees: Elder & Long-Term Care Future of Fl. Families Health Care Gen Health Care Reg and with the Health Care Appropriations Committee 212K 10:00 – 11:00 Elder & Long-Term Care Reed Hall Future of Fl. Families 12H Health Care Gen 306H Health Care Reg 212K 11:00 – 12:30 Justice Council 404H Justice Committees Civil Justice 24H Claims 28H Criminal Justice 404H Judiciary Morris Hall Juvenile Justice 214C	9:00 - 12:00 Group A State Infrastructure Council 404H Education Council Morris Hall Group A State Infrastructure Committees Growth Mgmt. 212K Spaceport & Tech. 28H Tourism 306H Transportation 404H Education Committees Choice & Innovation 214C Colleges & Univ. Reed Hall Comm. Colleges & Workforce 24H PreK-12 Morris Hall	
12:00 - 1:00 LUNCH	12:00 - 1:00 LUNCH	12:00 - 1:00 LUNCH	12:00 - 1:00 LUNCH	
4:00 - 6:00 Select Committee on Voluntary Pre- Kindergarten Implementation Morris Hall	1:30 - 6:00 Reserved for Republican Conference (Speaker Designation)	1:00 - 1:00 EUNCH 1:00 - 4:00 Group C State Resources Council Reed Hall State Administration Council Morris Hall Local Government Council 404H Group C State Resources Committees Agriculture 214C Environmental Reg. 212K Water & Natural Resources Reed Hall State Administration Committees Domestic Security 12H Ethics & Elections 306H Gov. Op. 24H Military & Veteran Affairs Morris Hall 4:30 - 6:00 Select Committee to Protect Private Property Rights Morris Hall	1:00 - 1:00 LONCH 1:00 - 5:00 Group E Fiscal Council 212K Group E Fiscal Committees Agric. & Env. Approp. 306H Education Approp. 212K Finance & Tax 404H Health Care Approp. Morris Hall Justice Approp. 214C State Admin. Approp. 12H Trans. & Econ. Dev. Approp. Reed Hall	3 rd Amended

IMPORTANT LEGISLATIVE DATES

	IMPURIANT LEGISLATI	VE DATES
2005		
September 12-16	Interim Council, Committee, or Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – September 2	[Rule 7.12(a)] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting
October 17-21	Interim Council, Committee, or Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – October 7	[Rule 7.12(a)] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting
November 7-10	Interim Council, Committee, or Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – October 28	[Rule 7.12(a)] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting
December 5-9	Interim Council, Committee, or Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – November 25	[Rule 7.12(a)] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting
2006		
January 9-13	Interim Council, Committee, or Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – December 30	[Rule 7.12(a)] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting
January 24	First Member Bill Filing Deadline: a member may not file more than six bills for a regular session. Of the six bills, at least two must be approved for filing with the Clerk no later than noon of the 6 th Tuesday prior to the first day of the regular session.	[Rule 5.3(a)]
	NOTE: To meet a filing deadline, the bill must be APPROVED FOR FILING in Leagis by the applicable deadline.	
February 6-10	Interim Council, Committee, or Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – January 27	[Rule 7.12(a)] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting
February 13-17	Interim Council, Committee, or Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – February 3	[Rule 7.12(a)] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting
February 20-24	Interim Council, Committee, or Subcommittee Meeting Notice Deadline – February 10	Rule 7.12(a)] No later than 7 days before the Friday preceding the week of the meeting
March 7	First Day of Session 2006 [82 st House since Statehood: 108 th Regular Session since Statehood; 19 th House since 1968 Constitutional Revision]	1 st Day [Art. III, s. 3(b), Const.]
March 7	Second Member Bill Filing Deadline: for general bills, local bills originating in the House, joint resolutions, concurrent resolutions (except one relating to extension of a session or legislative organization or procedures), substantive House resolution, or memorials originating in the House shall be given first reading unless approved for filing with the Clerk no later than (12 noon).	1 st Day [Rule 5.2(a)]
	NOTE: To meet a filing deadline, the bill must be APPROVED FOR FILING in Leagis by the applicable deadline.	
April 3	Committee Bill Filing Deadline: for bills originating in committee shall be approved for filing with the Clerk no later than (12 noon)	28 th Day [Rule 5.2(b)]
	Committee bills filed after this deadline will be admitted for introduction only if accompanied by a certificate of urgent public need submitted jointly by the committee and council Chairs and approved by the Speaker.	
	NOTE: To meet a filing deadline, the bill must be APPROVED FOR FILING in Leagis by the applicable deadline.	
April 16	Bill(s) may no longer be retained for purpose of reconsideration.	41st Day [Rule7.13(b)]
April 20	Last day for councils, committees, or subcommittees to meet after giving 2 days (excluding Saturday and Sunday) notice on bills (at least 1 day notice thereafter).	45 th Day [Rule 7.10(a)]
April 20	Last day on which councils, committee, or subcommittee amendments shall be filed by 5 p.m., 1 day (excluding Saturday	45 th Day [Rule 7.22(c)]

and Sunday) in advance of council, committee, or subcommittee meeting by nonappointed members (2 hours thereafter).

April 21	Calendar Council, move to Communications, Messages from the Senate, Bills and Joint Resolutions on Third Reading, or Special Orders. All bills transmitted to the Senate forthwith	Last 14 Days [Rule 11.7(j)]
April 25	Last day the Chair of any conference committee shall give notice at least 2 hours prior to meeting; after the 50th day 1 hour notice of intention to meet.	50 th Day [Rule 7.24(b)]
April 30	Last day that main floor amendments must be approved for filing with the Clerk by 2 p.m. of the first day a bill appears on the Special Order Calendar in the Calendar of the House; and amendments to main floor amendments and substitute amendments for main floor amendments must be approved for filing by 5 p.m. of the same day.	55 th Day [Rule 12.2(a)(1&2)]
April 30	Last day of the regular session for the Special Order Calendar to be published in two Calendars of the House and maybe taken up on the day of the second published Calendar. After the 55 th day of the regular session, the Special Order Calendar shall be published in one Calendar of the House and may be taken up on the day the Calendar is published.	55 th Day [Rule 10.11(a) (3)]
May 1	A Senate bill may be referred by the Speaker to a council or to a committee and its council and such other committees as are deemed appropriate, after the 55 th day of a session.	56 th Day [Rule 6.3 (h)]
May 1	After the 55 th day of regular session no House bills on second reading may be taken up and considered by the House.	56 th Day [Rule 10.17]
May 1	After the 55 th day of regular session main floor amendments must be approved for filing with the Clerk not later than 2 hours before session is scheduled to convene on the day a bill appears on the Special Order Calendar in the Calendar of the House; and amendments to main floor amendments and substitute amendments must be approved for filing not later than 1 hour after the main floor amendment deadline.	56 th Day [Rule 12.2(b) (1&2)]
May 3	After the 58 th calendar day of regular session, the House may consider only: Senate Messages, Conference Reports, Concurrent Resolutions.	Last 2 Days [Rule 10.18]
May 5	Last day of Regular Session, if Legislature completes work in 60 days	

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COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Notices as received from Committees and Subcommittees Monday, September 12, 2005

Select Committee on Voluntary Prekindergarten Implementation

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

Implementation Status Update
Financial Systems and Accountability Mechanisms
Public Testimony

Tuesday, September 13, 2005

Business Regulation Committee (Commerce

Council)

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Reed Hall (102 HOB)

Workshops:

- 1. Implementation of Constitutional Amendment authorizing slot machines at certain pari-mutuel facilities in Broward and Miami-Dade counties. Testimony requested from the pari-mutuel industry and the Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering.
- 2. Direct Shipment of Wine to Florida Consumers from out-of-state wineries:
- A) Overview presentation by Richard M. Blau, Chairman , ABA Committee on Beverage Alcoholic Practice, relating to the "Three Tier System" of alcoholic beverage distribution and how Florida's distribution system may be affected by recent federal court decisions concerning the direct shipment of wine by out-of-state shippers to Florida consumers.
- B) Committee discussion of direct shipping with a panel consisting of persons interested in the direct shipment issue.

Commerce Council

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

[NOT MEETING]

Economic Development, Trade & Banking

Committee (Commerce Council) 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM 306 HOB (AMENDED [2])

Presentation on the United States-Dominican Republic-Central America Free Trade Agreement (DR-CAFTA) and the Free Trade Area of the Americas by Manny Mencia, Senior Vice President, International Trade & Business Development, Enterprise Florida, Inc., and Dr. Antonio Villamil, Chief Executive Officer, The Washington Economics Group, Inc.

Presentations on the status of the Scripps Biomedical Research Institution:

Dr. Harry Orf, Vice President of Scientific Operations and Professor of Chemistry, Scripps Florida

Shannon LaRocque, Scripps Program Manager, Palm Beach County Board of County Commissioners

Sara Misselhorn, Scripps Project Director, Governor's Office of Tourism, Trade and Economic Development

Insurance Committee (Commerce Council) 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

Presentations and discussion on the following topics:

Insurance related issues regarding the 2004 and 2005 hurricane seasons including the most current damage and cost estimates, the response by private insurers, actions by state regulators, and the impact on the Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund.

Report from Citizens Property Insurance Corporation on its activities relating to the 2004 and 2005 hurricane seasons.

Update on the implementation of key provisions of SB 1486, Chapter 2005-111, Laws of Florida.

Current status of the residential property and casualty insurance market in Florida.

Utilities & Telecommunications Committee

(Commerce Council) 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM 212 Knott Building (AMENDED [2])

Overview of electric generation, fuel supplies, and communications.

Wednesday, September 14, 2005

Agriculture Committee (State Resources Council)

2:00 PM - 4:00 PM 214 Capitol

Presentation on citrus canker and the status of the Citrus Canker Eradication Program

Florida Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services

Civil Justice Committee (Justice Council)

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM 24 HOB

[NOT MEETING]

Claims Committee (Justice Council)

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM 28 HOB

[NOT MEETING]

Criminal Justice Committee (Justice Council)

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM 404 HOB

[NOT MEETING]

Domestic Security Committee (State Administration

Council)

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM 12 HOB

Presentations:

Update on the status of the Federal/State partnership implementing the maritime $\,$

Transportation Worker Identification Credential, including a discussion of the status of

federal funding for the project beyond October 31, 2005.

Elder & Long-Term Care Committee (Health &

Families Council)

10:15 AM - 11:00 AM Reed Hall (102 HOB)

OPPAGA presentation regarding Aging Resource Center implementation

Department of Elder Affairs update

Elder & Long-Term Care Committee (Health &

Families Council)

8:15 AM - 10:00 AM 212 Knott Building

The Elder and Long-Term Care Committee along with the Health and Families Council, Future of Florida's Families Committee, Health Care General Committee, Health Care Regulation Committee, and Health Care Appropriations Committee will meet jointly for an update on Medicaid Reform efforts and an overview of Medicare Part D (Prescription Drug Coverage).

Environmental Regulation Committee (State

Resources Council)

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM 212 Knott Building

[NOT MEETING]

Ethics & Elections Committee (State Administration

Council)

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM 306 HOB

[NOT MEETING]

Future of Florida's Families Committee (Health &

Families Council)

8:15 AM - 10:00 AM 212 Knott Building

The Future of Florida's Families Committee along with the Health & Families Council, Elder & Long-Term Care Committee, Health Care General Committee, Health Care Regulation Committee, and Health Care Appropriations Committee will meet jointly for an update on Medicaid Reform efforts and an overview of Medicare Part D (Prescription Drug Coverage).

Future of Florida's Families Committee (Health &

Families Council)

10:15 AM - 11:00 AM 12 HOB

Presentation of the Florida Interprogram Task Force report entitled, "Florida's State Plan for the Prevention of Child Abuse, Abandonment, and Neglect: July 2005 through June 2010." Lucy D. Hadi, Secretary, Department of Children &

Families

The Future of Florida's Families Committee will conduct Public Hearings relating to the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect from 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m., on the following dates and locations:

Thursday, September 22, 2005 - JACKSONVILLE St. James Building 1st Floor City Council Chambers 117 West Duval Street Jacksonville, FL 32202 904/630-1377

Thursday, September 29, 2005 - TAMPA Frederick B. Karl County Center 2nd Floor Board of County Commissioners Board Room 601 East Kennedy Boulevard Tampa, FL 33601 813/272-6698

Monday, October 3, 2005 - MIAMI Miami City Hall (Main Chambers) 3500 Pan American Drive Miami, FL 33133 305/250-5360

Thursday, October 13, 2005 - WEST PALM BEACH City Commission Chambers 200 2nd Street West Palm Beach, FL 33401 561/822-1400

Please contact committee staff at 850/488-8315 for details regarding the Public Hearings.

Governmental Operations Committee (State

Administration Council)

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

[NOT MEETING]

Health & Families Council

8:15 AM - 10:00 AM 212 Knott Building

The Health & Families Council along with its committees: Elder & Long-Term Care, Future of Florida's Families, Health Care General, and Health Care Regulation will meet jointly with the Health Care Appropriations Committee for an update on Medicaid Reform efforts and an overview of Medicare Part D (Prescription Drug Coverage).

Health Care Appropriations Committee (Fiscal Council)

8:15 AM - 10:00 AM 212 Knott Building

The Health Care Appropriations Committee along with the Health & Families Council, Elder & Long-Term Care Committee, Future of Florida's Families Committee, Health Care General Committee, and Health Care Regulation Committee will meet jointly for an update on Medicaid Reform efforts and an overview of Medicare Part D (Prescription Drug Coverage).

Health Care General Committee (Health & Families

Council)

10:15 AM - 11:00 AM 306 HOB

Presentation on the new Medicaid Preferred Drug List Update on Interim Projects

Health Care General Committee (Health & Families Council)

8:15 AM - 10:00 AM 212 Knott Building

The Health Care General Committee along with the Health & Families Council, Elder & Long-Term Care Committee, Future of Florida's Families Committee, Health Care Regulation Committee, and Health Care Appropriations Committee will meet jointly for an update on Medicaid Reform efforts and an overview of Medicare Part D (Prescription Drug Coverage)

Health Care Regulation Committee (Health &

Families Council)

8:15 AM - 10:00 AM 212 Knott Building

The Health Care Regulation Committee along with the Health & Families Council, Elder & Long-Term Care Committee, Future of Florida's Families Committee, Health Care General Committee, and Health Care Appropriations Committee will meet jointly for an update on Medicaid Reform efforts and an overview of Medicare Part D (Prescription Drug Coverage).

Health Care Regulation Committee (Health &

Families Council)

10:15 AM - 11:00 AM 212 Knott Building

Discussion of health care related issues.

Judiciary Committee (Justice Council)

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

Status of the implementation of the following constitutional revisions approved by the voters in November 2004:

Constitutional Revision 7—Patients' right to know about adverse medical incidents

Constitutional Revision 8—Repeated medical malpractice

Discussion of proposal to revise Florida Constitution

Recap and discussion of matters related to the constitutional petition process

Status of committee interim projects

Discussion of tort reform

Justice Council

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM 404 HOB

[NOT MEETING]

Juvenile Justice Committee (Justice Council)

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM 214 Capitol (AMENDED [1])

[NOT MEETING]

Local Government Council

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM 404 HOB

[NOT MEETING]

Military & Veteran Affairs Committee (State

Administration Council)

2:00 PM - 3:30 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

Briefing update on how Florida did in BRAC process as Phase 2 of 4 has been completed by General J.B. Davis, Chairman of the Governors' Commission on BRAC

Overview of the possibilities regarding re-establishing Cecil Field as a Master Jet Training Base for the United States Navy

Select Committee to Protect Private Property Rights

4:30 PM - 6:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

Opening Remarks by Chair Rubio Staff Presentations Member Discussion

State Administration Council

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

[NOT MEETING]

State Resources Council

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM Reed Hall (102 HOB)

[NOT MEETING]

Water & Natural Resources Committee (State

Resources Council)

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM Reed Hall (102 HOB)

[NOT MEETING]

Thursday, September 15, 2005

Agriculture & Environment Appropriations

Committee (Fiscal Council)

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM 306 HOB

Workshop on the following:

Budget Hearings for Water Management Districts

Choice & Innovation Committee (Education Council)

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM 214 Capitol

Opening Remarks by Chair Stargel Introduction of new staff Update on interim projects Member discussion on interests and goals

Colleges & Universities Committee (Education

Council)

9:00 AM - 9:45 AM Reed Hall (102 HOB)

Status Report on SUCCEED, Florida grant awards for nursing and teaching

Status Report on Board of Governors Interim Project

Community Colleges & Workforce Committee

(Education Council)

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM 24 HOB

Presentations:

Stauts Report on Department of Education Plan to Prepare Students for the Workforce; SUCCEED, Florida Career Paths; and Articulation

Status Report on Strategic Plan and Legislative Priorities of the Council of Community College Presidents

Status Report on Strategic Plan and Legislative Priorities of Career Centers

Education Appropriations Committee (Fiscal

Council)

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM 212 Knott Building

Workshop on the following:

- I. Update on Florida Education Finance Program Second Calculation
- $\operatorname{II}.$ Overview of Education Estimating Conferences and Current Projections
- III. Update on Vetoes, Failed Contingencies, and Status of Final Approved General Appropriations Act for 2005-06

Education Council

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

[NOT MEETING]

Finance & Tax Committee (Fiscal Council)

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM 404 HOB

[NOT MEETING]

Fiscal Council

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM 212 Knott Building

[NOT MEETING]

Growth Management Committee (State

Infrastructure Council)

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM 212 Knott Building

Presentations concerning implementation of Chapter 2005-290, Laws of Florida (CS/CS/CS SB 360) by the Departments of Community Affairs, Transportation, Education and Environmental Protection.

Health Care Appropriations Committee (Fiscal

Council

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

[NOT MEETING]

Justice Appropriations Committee (Fiscal Council)

1:00 PM - 5:00 PM 214 Capitol

- Status report on procurement for Department of Corrections Region IV Medical Services
- Status report on the Jessica Lunsford $\mbox{\sc Act}$ Implementation
- Budget Workshop

PreK-12 Committee (Education Council)

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Morris Hall (17 HOB)

(AMENDED [1])

School District K-12 Comprehensive Reading Plans Fingerprint Requirements Pursuant to HB 1877 Presentation by Department of Education Inspector General Public Testimony

Spaceport & Technology Committee (State

Infrastructure Council)

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM 28 HOB

[NOT MEETING]

State Administration Appropriations

Committee (Fiscal Council)

1:30 PM - 5:00 PM 12 HOB

Update on the Workers' Compensation Joint Underwriting Association by the Department of Financial Services

Update by the Department of Financial Services on hurricane double deductible reimbursements and funding

Update on the Fiscal Solvency of the Florida Hurricane Catastrophe Fund

Introduction of new Department of Business and Professional Regulation Secretary, Simone Marstille, and a brief presentation on her plans for the agency and its budget

Committee discussion on base budget presentations by agencies

Budget Workshop

State Infrastructure Council

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM 404 HOB

[NOT MEETING]

Tourism Committee (State Infrastructure Council) 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM 306 HOB

[NOT MEETING]

Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations Committee (Fiscal Council) 1:30 PM - 4:30 PM Reed Hall (102 HOB)

Introduction of Florida's Film Commissioner Paul Sirmons

Introduction of the Florida Department of Transportation Secretary Denver J. Stutler, Jr.

Presentation by the Department of Transportation:

- I. Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient, Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users
 - II. Update on the 2005 Growth Management Legislation

Transportation Committee (State Infrastructure Council)

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM 404 HOB

Presentation by the Department of Highway Safety & Motor Vehicles:

Federal Legislative Update – The REAL ID Act of 2005

Presentation by the Department of Transportation:

- Federal Legislative Update The Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: a Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU)
- Implementation of Transportation Programs in the 2005 Growth Management Legislation

Councils and Committees of the Florida House of Representatives

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Agriculture & Environment Appropriations Committee

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Transportation & Economic Development Appropriations Committee

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PRE-FILED BILLS FOR 2006 REGULAR SESSION

HB 3 by Berfield, Goldstein

Florida Birth-Related Neurological Injury Compensation Plan; Requires the administrative law judge to determine whether factual determinations regarding required notice to obstetrical patients of participation in the plan are satisfied; provides exclusive jurisdiction to make such determinations; provides legislative intent; authorizes the State Board of Administration to invest and reinvest funds held on behalf of the plan pursuant to a trust agreement and state law. Effective Date: upon becoming a law.

HB 5 by Gannon

Residential Tenancies; Provides for early lease termination if a victim of domestic violence, repeat violence, sexual violence, or dating violence elects to leave a residential rental property; provides requirements for termination; requires the victim to comply with any criminal investigation and prosecution related to the domestic, dating, sexual, or repeat violence; provides that a residential lease shall continue in all terms and conditions for all tenants except the victim; provides that all tenants, including the victim and respondent, are responsible for damage to the property exceeding ordinary wear and tear, except that the respondent shall be responsible for the costs of damage resulting from any incident of domestic violence; provides for repossession by the landlord in case of abandonment by other tenants; provides that an agreement between the victim and the respondent may not waive or modify certain rights of victims; provides conditions under which a landlord may reclaim possession of a dwelling unit after the tenant has died; allows a rental agreement to provide for liquidated damages upon breach and for a fee for the tenant to obtain an early termination of the rental agreement in certain circumstances. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 17 by Justice

Seaports; Requires the Department of Law Enforcement to develop a program to survey the underwater areas of certain deepwater seaports; designates certain deepwater seaports. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 19 by Justice

University Building Designation; Designates a building located at the University of South Florida St. Petersburg as "H. William Heller Hall"; directs the university to erect suitable markers. Effective Date: upon the effective date of the retirement or resignation of H. William Heller from, or the termination of H. William Heller's employment with, the University of South Florida St. Petersburg

HB 21 by Peterman

Social Status of African-American Men and Boys; Creates the Council on the Social Status of African-American Men and Boys; provides for the appointment and qualification of members; provides for the appointment of members to fill vacant positions; requires the council to make a systematic study of conditions affecting African-American men and boys; requires the Office of the Attorney General to provide administrative support; requires the council to submit an annual report to the Governor and Legislature; provides for reimbursement for per diem and travel expenses; requires the Attorney General to organize the initial meeting of the council; provides for the expiration of the council. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 23 by Jordan, Altman

Bicycle Safety; Revises safety standard requirements for bicycle helmets that must be worn by certain riders and passengers; provides for enforcement of certain bicycle equipment requirements; provides penalties for violations; provides for dismissal of a first offense. Effective Date: October 1, 2006.

HB 29 by Sansom, Altman, Goldstein, Legg, Williams

Tax on Sales, Use, and Other Transactions; Specifies a period during which the sale of books, clothing, and school supplies shall be exempt from such tax; provides definitions and exceptions; authorizes the Department of Revenue to adopt rules; provides an appropriation. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HJR 31 by Rice, Anderson, Baxley, Bilirakis, Davis, D., Dean, Domino, Farkas, Gibson, H., Glorioso, Goldstein, Harrell, Hays, Homan, Jordan, Legg, Patterson, Sansom, Sorensen, Taylor, Williams

Eminent Domain; Proposes an amendment to s. 6, Art. X of the State Constitution to provide that private economic development shall not be deemed to constitute a public purpose for which private property may be taken by eminent domain.

HJR 33 by Domino, Altman, Goldstein, Hasner, Robaina

Homestead Property Assessments; Proposes an amendment to s. 4, Art. VII of the State Constitution to provide for assessing homestead property at less than just value when a person sells homestead property and within one year purchases another property as homestead property; provides criteria for determining the just value and assessed value of the new homestead property.

HB 35 by Peterman

Abatement of Drug Paraphernalia; Creates the Drug Paraphernalia Abatement Task Force within the Executive Office of the Governor; prescribes task force membership; provides for meetings and duties of the task force; provides that meetings and records of the task force are subject to statutory public meetings and records requirements; provides for members of the task force to be reimbursed for per diem and travel expenses; requires the Office of Drug Control within the Executive Office of the Governor to provide staff support; requires reports; requires cooperation by state agencies; abolishes the task force on a specified date. Effective Date: upon becoming a law.

HB 37 by Adams

Security of Consumer Credit Report Information; Authorizes a consumer to place a security freeze on his or her credit report; defines "consumer credit report security freeze"; provides procedures and requirements with respect to the placement, temporary suspension, and removal of a security freeze on a consumer credit report; authorizes a consumer to allow specified temporary access to his or her credit report during a security freeze; provides procedures with respect to such temporary access; provides for removal of a security freeze when a consumer's credit report was frozen due to a material misrepresentation of fact by the consumer; provides applicability; authorizes consumer credit reporting agencies to charge a fee to initiate, remove, or temporarily lift a security freeze; disallows such fee for victims of identity theft; restricts the change of specified information in a consumer credit report when a security freeze is in effect; specifies applicability with respect to certain consumer credit reporting agencies; specifies entities that are exempt from placing a security freeze on a consumer credit report; provides for civil remedy; provides requirements with respect to written disclosure by a consumer credit reporting agency of procedures and consumer rights associated with a security freeze. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HJR 39 by Farkas

Limitations on Assessments of Residential and Commercial Property; Proposes an amendment to s. 4, Art. VII of the State Constitution to apply to all residential and commercial property the limitations on assessments of property at just value currently applicable only to homestead property.

HB 41 by Dean

Administrative Expunction of Nonjudicial Arrest Records;

Requires the arresting law enforcement agency to apply to the Department of Law Enforcement for the administrative expunction of certain nonjudicial records of arrest; authorizes certain persons to apply directly to the department for administrative expunction in certain circumstances; requires such persons to support such application with an endorsement; requires a specified affidavit for all applications; provides that an application, endorsement, or affidavit may not be admitted into evidence or construed as an admission of liability. Effective Date: upon becoming a law.

HB 43 by Culp

Cruelty to Animals; Increases certain minimum mandatory fines and periods of incarceration for certain acts of cruelty to animals.

Effective Date: July 1, 2006, and shall apply to offenses committed on or after that date.

HB 45 by Porth

False or Misleading Electronic Mail; Provides an exemption from criminal liability for certain carriers whose equipment transmits certain prohibited commercial electronic mail messages; provides that remedies and penalties under the Electronic Mail Communications Act are cumulative; provides criminal penalties for specified offenses relating to commercial electronic mail messages. Effective Date: July 1, 2006, and shall apply to violations committed on or after that date.

HB 47 by Greenstein

Hurricane Preparedness; Exempts from the sales and use tax sales of specified tangible personal property for a specified period of time; excludes from the exemption building materials purchased by construction companies, building contractors, and commercial businesses and entities; specifies purchases or attempts to purchase by such entities as unfair methods of competition; provides civil penalties; authorizes the Department of Revenue to adopt rules; provides an appropriation. Effective Date: upon becoming a law.

HB 49 by Meadows

Caregivers for Adults; Provides legislative intent to foster caregiving for adults as a nonlicensed paraprofessional activity and to promote the use of best practices; creates the Florida Caregiver Institute, Inc., an independent not-for-profit corporation within the Florida Policy Exchange Center on Aging at the University of South Florida; provides purposes, duties, and powers of the corporation; provides for a board of directors; provides for membership, terms of office, meetings, and powers and duties of and restrictions on the board; requires reports to the Governor and the Legislature; provides duties of the Florida Policy Exchange Center on Aging and other public agencies; provides for the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability to conduct a review of the corporation by October 1, 2009, and to report to the Governor and the Legislature. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 51 by Meadows

Health Insurance Coverage for Autism Spectrum Disorder; Requires a health insurer or health maintenance organization that offers major medical coverage to include coverage for treating autism spectrum disorder; authorizes an insurer or health maintenance organization to confirm a diagnosis or review the appropriateness of a treatment plan; limits the amount of annual coverage; provides that the act does not affect the licensure of a health care professional or impair the right to reimbursement of a health care provider; makes a legislative finding that the act fulfills an important state interest. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 53 by Smith

Discretionary Surtax on Documents; Authorizes counties operating under a home rule charter to levy the discretionary surtax for purposes of establishing and funding a Housing Assistance Loan Trust Fund to assist in providing housing for low-income and moderate-income families; prohibits specified

counties from levying the surtax unless approved by a majority of the electors of the county voting in a referendum; provides requirements for holding a referendum; provides for the future repeal of provisions relating to the surtax on documents for purposes of funding housing assistance; repeals a provision relating to the former repeal date established for the discretionary surtax on documents. Effective Date: upon becoming a law.

HB 55 by Smith

Restoration of Civil Rights; Requires that the administrator of a county detention facility provide an application form for the restoration of civil rights to a prisoner who has been convicted of a felony and is serving a sentence in that facility; authorizes the use of volunteers to assist the prisoner in completing the application; provides that this act does not apply to prisoners who are transferred to the Department of Corrections. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 57 by Quinones

Student Assessment; Requires the Department of Education to conduct concordance studies to determine FCAT equivalencies for high school graduation; deletes a limitation on the use of alternative assessments for the grade 10 FCAT; requires the department to conduct a concordance study to identify alternative examinations for the grade 10 FCAT for students with limited English proficiency. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 59 by Meadows

Breast Cancer Treatment; Includes lymph node dissections under provisions prescribing the length of hospital stay relating to a mastectomy and the outpatient postsurgical followup care which specified health insurers and health maintenance organizations must cover; limits application. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 61 by Quinones, Bogdanoff (Compare HB 71)

Postsentencing DNA Testing; Deletes time limits for filing petitions for postsentencing DNA testing when facts on which the petition is predicated were unknown and could not have been ascertained by the exercise of due diligence; revises provisions relating to time periods for preservation of physical evidence; provides for retroactive application. Effective Date: upon becoming a law and shall apply retroactively to September 30, 2005.

HJR 63 by Brutus

Real Property Rights of Aliens Ineligible for Citizenship; Proposes an amendment to s. 2, Art. I of the State Constitution to delete a provision stating that the ownership, inheritance, disposition, and possession of real property by aliens ineligible for citizenship may be regulated or prohibited by law.

HB 65 by Porth

Residential Foreclosure Proceedings; Provides requirements and procedures for disbursement of surplus funds from a judicial sale; authorizes a court to determine reasonable attorney's fees for motions to disburse surplus funds; provides a right of parties to petition a court to set aside deeds or assignments; entitles parties to recover all fees and costs incurred in surplus funds proceedings; provides for the court to determine reasonable attorney's fees in such proceedings; specifies a required notice form to be served with a summons and complaint in actions to foreclose an interest in a mortgagor's primary dwelling; requires the notice to be included in the service of process; requires verification of service; specifies an additional notice requirement for return of service of process forms made for foreclosures of a mortgagor's primary dwelling; authorizes a clerk of court to collect a fee for attempts of service of process; requires the clerk of court to use fee proceeds for public education purposes; requires notices of action to contain an additional notice of potential surplus and application procedures information; provides a civil penalty for knowingly using unfair or deceptive homeowner victimization methods, acts, or practices in residential foreclosure proceedings; specifies a time period during which a person may not contact a homeowner for specified purposes; specifies higher priority of an order of restitution or reimbursement over imposition of a civil penalty; provides for deposit of civil penalties into the Legal Affairs Revolving Trust Fund of the Department of Legal Affairs; allocates such funds for specified purposes; requires documents transferring a mortgagor's primary dwelling to disclose specified information; authorizes a seller to void a transaction; requires the seller to repay specified amounts to a purchaser; provides that advertisements, publications, or notices relating to foreclosure proceedings must include the procedure for collecting surplus funds or list a telephone number or website at which the procedure will be explained; prohibits a court or clerk of court from entering a default or default judgment against a mortgagor in a proceeding to foreclose a mortgagor's primary dwelling if a return of service does not contain a required notice; includes a reference to a required notice for proceedings to foreclose a mortgagor's primary dwelling in orders to show cause in final judgment of foreclosure entries. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 67 by Sobel

Automated External Defibrillator Devices; Provides for grants to youth athletic organizations for automated external defibrillator devices; provides for disbursement of funds from the Emergency Medical Services Trust Fund; requires the Department of Health to implement an educational campaign to inform the public about the lack of immunity from liability regarding the use of automated external defibrillator devices under certain conditions. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 69 by Meadows

Exemptions from the Tax on Sales, Use, and Other Transactions; Deletes an annual limitation on an exemption from the sales tax for machinery and equipment used to increase productive output; deletes an exemption for machinery and equipment used to expand certain printing manufacturing facilities or plant units; deletes a limitation on application of the exemption for machinery and equipment purchased for use in phosphate or other solid minerals severance, mining, or processing operations by way of a prospective credit; deletes an annual limitation on an exemption from the sales tax for machinery and equipment purchased under a federal procurement contract; repeals a provision relating to qualifications for the exemption and credit for machinery and equipment purchased by an expanding business for use in

phosphate or other solid minerals severance, mining, or processing operations. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 71 by Brutus, Joyner (Compare HB 61)

Evidence; Revises requirements for petitions for examination of evidence and postsentencing DNA testing; requires entry of certain DNA profile information into a national DNA index; revises requirements for retention and disposal of DNA evidence; requires a system for reporting and tracking specified motions; provides for retroactive application; requires a report; provides for DNA identification of missing persons; creates the Florida Commission on Innocence; provides membership; provides terms of office; provides powers and duties; provides for a report and responses. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 73 by Farkas

Unlawful Taking of Personal Property or Equipment; Deletes a provision specifying that the prohibition against obtaining personal property or equipment with intent to defraud does not apply to a rental-purchase agreement unless the rental store retains title to the property or equipment throughout the period of the rental-purchase agreement. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 75 by Bilirakis

John M. McKay Scholarships for Students with Disabilities Program; Revises definition of the term "students with disabilities"; revises student eligibility requirements for receipt of a scholarship; revises provisions relating to scholarship funding and payment; provides funding and payment requirements for former Florida School for the Deaf and the Blind students and for students exiting a Department of Juvenile Justice program. Effective Date: upon becoming a law.

HB 77 by Quinones

Tax on Sales, Use, and other Transactions; Deletes an exception to an exemption from the tax for research or development costs; exempts machinery and equipment used predominantly for research and development activities; authorizes the Department of Revenue to adopt rules implementing the exemption; provides requirements and procedures for claiming the exemption; requires an affidavit to be given by a taxpayer claiming entitlement to the exemption; provides penalties for fraudulently claiming the exemption; requires the Legislature to review the exemption; provides for a study of the exemption by the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability and Enterprise Florida, Inc.; provides study requirements; requires a report to the Governor and Legislature; revises criteria, requirements, and procedures for exemptions for semiconductor, defense, or space technology production; clarifies authorization for qualifed businesses to donate the amount of the exemption to state universities and community colleges; revises the definition of the term "research and development"; defines the term "machinery and equipment." Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 79 by Taylor

Citizens Property Insurance Corporation; Deletes a provision expressing legislative intent relating to reduction of windstorm losses and property assessments; deletes reporting requirements

of the board of governors of the corporation relating to losses from wind-only coverage and the quota share program; deletes duties of the board relating to reduction of boundaries of highrisk areas eligible for wind-only coverage. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 81 by Porth

Student Loans; Provides for a financial assistance program administered by the Justice Administrative Commission to provide assistance to career assistant attorneys general, assistant statewide prosecutors, assistant state attorneys, and assistant public defenders for the repayment of eligible student loans; provides loan assistance payment amounts; provides for funding. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 83 by Brutus

Sexual Offenders; Defines the terms "convicted" and "conviction" as they relate to the residence of sexual ofenders to include convictions in other states and in a federal jurisdiction; provides that it is unlawful for a person who has been convicted of certain sexual offenses in this state or similar offenses in other states or a federal jurisdiction to reside within 1,000 feet of certain specified locations if the victim was younger than 16 years of age; provides penalties. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 85 by Taylor

Assault or Battery on Security Officers; Provides for reclassification of an assault or battery on a licensed security officer. Effective Date: July 1, 2006, and shall apply to offenses committed on or after that date.

HB 87 by Gottlieb

Student Safety; Creates the "Student Safety and Campus Violence Prevention Act"; prohibits harassment, discrimination, and violence during education programs and activities conducted by certain educational institutions; defines the term "harassment"; requires each school district to adopt a policy prohibiting certain behavior and specifies components of such policy; requires development of model policies; authorizes redress under civil or criminal law; provides immunity. Effective Date: upon becoming a law.

HB 89 by Harrell

Emergency Management; Specifies additional agencies that are required to provide registration information to special needs clients and persons with disabilities or special needs who receive services from such agencies for purposes of inclusion within the registry of persons with special needs maintained by local emergency management agencies; provides that the Department of Community Affairs shall be the designated lead agency responsible for community education and outreach to the general public, including special needs clients, regarding registration as a person with special needs, special needs shelters, and general information regarding shelter stays; requires the department to disseminate educational and outreach information through local emergency management offices; requires the department to coordinate community education and outreach related to special needs shelters with specified agencies and entities; provides that specified confidential and exempt information relating to

registration of persons with special needs be provided to the Department of Health; provides for the operation, maintenance, and closure of special needs shelters; removes a condition of specified funding as a prerequisite to the assumption of lead responsibility by the Department of Health for specified coordination with respect to the development of a plan for the staffing and medical management of special needs shelters; provides that the local Children's Medical Services offices shall assume lead responsibility for specified coordination with respect to the development of a plan for the staffing and medical management of pediatric special needs shelters; requires such plans to conform to the local comprehensive emergency management plan; requires county governments to assist in the process of coordinating the recruitment of health care practitioners to staff local special needs shelters; provides that the appropriate county health department, Children's Medical Services office, and local emergency management agency shall jointly determine the responsibility for medical supervision in a special needs shelter; provides that state employees with a preestablished role in disaster response may be called upon to serve in times of disaster in specified capacities; requires the Secretary of Elderly Affairs to convene a multiagency emergency special needs shelter response team or teams to assist local areas that are severely impacted by a natural or manmade disaster that required the use of special needs shelters; provides duties and responsibilities of multiagency response teams; authorizes local emergency management agencies to request the assistance of a multiagency response team; provides for the inclusion of specified state agency representatives on each multiagency response team; authorizes hospitals and nursing homes that are used to shelter special needs persons during or after an evacuation to submit invoices for reimbursement to the Department of Health; requires the department to specify by rule expenses that are reimbursable and the rate of reimbursement for services; prescribes means of and procedures for reimbursement; provides eligibility for reimbursement of health care facilities to whom special needs shelter clients have been discharged by a multiagency response team upon closure of a special needs shelter; provides requirements with respect to such reimbursement; prescribes means of and procedures for reimbursement; disallows specified reimbursements; revises the role of the special needs shelter interagency committee with respect to the planning and operation of special needs shelters; provides required functions of the committee; provides that the committee shall recommend guidelines to establish a statewide database to collect and disseminate special needs registration information; revises the composition of the special needs shelter interagency committee; requires the inclusion of specified rules with respect to special needs shelters and specified minimum standards therefor; provides requirements with respect to emergency management plans submitted by a home health agency, nurse registry, or hospice to a county health department for review; removes a condition of specified funding as a prerequisite to the submission of such plans; requires the Division of Emergency Management of the Department of Community Affairs to prepare and submit a statewide emergency shelter plan to the Governor and the Cabinet for approval; provides plan requirements; requires the Department of Health to assist the division in determining the estimated need for special needs shelter space; requires inspection of public hurricane evacuation shelter facilities by local emergency management agencies prior to activation of such facilities; provides that nurse registries, hospices, and durable medical equipment providers shall prepare and maintain a comprehensive emergency management plan; provides that home health, hospice, and durable medical equipment provider agencies shall not be required to continue to provide care to patients in emergency situations that are beyond their control and that make it impossible to provide services; authorizes home health agencies, nurse registries, hospices, and durable medical equipment providers to establish links to local emergency operations centers to determine a mechanism to approach areas within a disaster area in order for the agency to reach its clients; provides that the presentation of home care or hospice clients to the special needs shelter without the home health agency or hospice making a good faith effort to provide services in the shelter setting constitutes abandonment of the

client; requires regulatory review in such cases; provides that entities regulated or licensed by the Agency for Health Care Administration may exceed their licensed capacity to act as a receiving facility under specified circumstances; provides requirements while such entities are in an overcapacity status; provides for issuance of an inactive license to such licensees under specified conditions; provides requirements and procedures with respect to the issuance and reactivation of an inactive license; provides fees; requires the Florida Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan to permit the Agency for Health Care Administration to initially contact nursing homes in disaster areas for specified monitoring purposes; requires the agency to publish an emergency telephone number for use by nursing homes. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 91 by Goldstein

Residence of Sexual Offenders and Predators; Prohibits sexual predators from establishing or maintaining a residence within 2,500 feet of specified locations; provides for county or municipal ordinances that restrict the residence of sexual offenders; prohibits the knowing rental or lease of a residence within 2,500 feet of specified locations to a restricted sex offender who intends to occupy the unit; provides a due diligence defense; provides criminal penalties; revises conditional release program restrictions on the residence of certain sexual offenders; revises the requirements for the location of public school bus stops in relation to the permanent residence of specified sexual offenders; revises terms and conditions of probation or community control restricting the residence of persons convicted of certain sex offenses; provides that amendments in this act to provisions restricting the residence of sexual offenders and sexual predators shall not require the relocation of offenders who had previously established a residence not in compliance with the amendments. Effective Date: October 1, 2006.

HB 93 by Henriquez

Automated External Defibrillators; Revises legislative intent with respect to the use of an automated external defibrillator; defines an automated external defibrillator as a lifesaving defibrillation device; defines a related term; provides that it is a first degree misdemeanor for a person to commit certain acts involving the misuse of an automated external defibrillator; authorizes a local government to adopt an ordinance to license, permit, or inspect automated external defibrillators; provides for enforcement of such local ordinances; requires the Department of Health to implement an educational campaign to inform the public about the lack of immunity from liability regarding the use of automated external defibrillator devices under certain conditions. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 95 by Henriquez

Alcoholic Beverages; Provides a definition of the term "alcohol vaporizing device"; prohibits the sale, offer for sale, purchase, or use of machines or devices which vaporize alcohol; provides penalties and fines; permits certain vendors to conduct malt beverage tastings under certain conditions. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 97 by Slosberg

Safety Belt Law Enforcement; Creates the Dori Slosberg Safety Belt Law; deletes requirement for enforcement of the Florida Safety Belt Law as a secondary action. Effective Date: October 1, 2006.

HB 99 by Slosberg

School Bus Safety; Creates the Diana Kautz Student Safety Sponsors Act; provides for district school boards to adopt policies for private sponsorship of described seat belt assemblies on school buses; provides for a sponsorship fee; provides for use of moneys collected; provides for signage on the exterior of the school bus acknowledging sponsorship; provides for design and size of the signage by local school board policy; limits liability of sponsors; requires sponsor signs to be covered when school buses are transporting passengers who are not school students; revises requirement that students use crash protection system on school bus; requires sponsor signs to be covered when school buses are used for nonschool purposes. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 101 by Slosberg

Motor Fuel Marketing Practices Act; Repeals the Motor Fuel Marketing Practices Act, to terminate regulation of such practices under that act, and authorizes citation of the repealing act as the Motor Fuel Relief Act of 2006. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 103 by McInvale

Property Appraiser Assessments; Provides property appraisers with additional methods for inspecting real property for assessment purposes in addition to physical inspections; reduces the required frequency of physical inspections. Effective Date: upon becoming a law.

HB 105 by Allen

Retiree Health Insurance Subsidy; Revises provisions for determination of the amount of the subsidy for retirees of the defined benefit program and eligible participants of the Public Employee Optional Retirement Program of the Florida Retirement System or their beneficiaries; provides that the spouse at the time of a Florida Retirement System participant's death is considered the beneficiary for purposes of the retiree health insurance subsidy unless a different beneficiary has been designated; revises the contribution paid by employers of state-administered retirement plans; provides a finding of important state interest. Effective Date: upon becoming a law.

HB 107 by Pickens

Relief of Sheryl D. Allen and George F. Allen by the City of Tallahassee; Provides for the relief of Sheryl D. Allen and George F. Allen by the City of Tallahassee; provides for an appropriation to compensate them for injuries and damages sustained as a result of an accident involving Sheryl D. Allen and an employee of the City of Tallahassee. Effective Date: upon becoming a law.

HB 109 by Anderson

Temporary Custody of a Child by an Extended Family Member or Putative Father; Authorizes an extended family member to bring a proceeding in court to determine the temporary custody of a child; specifies the information that must be included in a petition for temporary custody by an extended family member or putative father; provides that only an extended family member or putative father may file a petition for temporary custody; provides that either or both of the child's parents may petition the court to modify the order granting temporary custody. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 111 by Anderson

Defibrillators in State Parks; Encourages state parks to have a functioning automated external defibrillator; requires training, maintenance, and location registration; provides immunity from liability under the Good Samaritan Act and the Cardiac Arrest Survival Act; authorizes the Division of Recreation and Parks to adopt rules; provides an appropriation. Effective Date: July 1, 2006

HB 113 by Negron

Judges; Revises the number of circuit court judges in certain circuits; revises the number of county court judges in certain counties. Effective Date: December 1, 2006.

HB 115 by Rice (Similar SB 54)

Relief of Judge Joseph Donahey and Tena Donahey; Provides for the relief of Judge Joseph G. Donahey, Jr., and Tena Donahey, his spouse; provides an appropriation to compensate them for injuries received by Joseph Donahey, Jr., and for damages sustained by Mr. and Mrs. Donahey as a result of the medical treatment of Judge Joseph G. Donahey, Jr., by employees of the State of Florida. Effective Date: upon becoming a law.

HB 117 by Coley (Similar SB 90)

Travel Expenses; Establishes mileage rates for travel expenses for certain correctional probation officers. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.

HB 121 by Bendross-Mindingall

Road Designations; Designates Osun's Village and African Caribbean Cultural Arts Corridor in Miami-Dade County; directs the Department of Transportation to erect suitable markers. Effective Date: July 1, 2006.